

# Risk Factors for Abuse

Abuser	Elder
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Untreated mental illness</b></li><li>● <b>Untreated substance abuse</b></li><li>● <b>Financial dependency on the victim</b></li><li>● <b>History of hostility</b></li><li>● <b>Feeling of burden, resentment</b></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● <b>Dementia</b></li><li>● <b>Aggressive behaviors (physical or psychological)</b></li><li>● <b>Physical impairment or disability</b> (needs assistance with ADLs/IADLs (Activities of Daily Living / Instrumental Activities of Daily Living))</li><li>● <b>Social isolation</b></li></ul>

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